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RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Article No. 7004 2510 0006 9720 1262

Lisa Thurman
Occidental Chemicals, Inc.
6200 South Ridge Road
Wichita, Kansas 67277

Dear Ms. Thurman:

Re: Information Request on the Occidental Chemicals Company Inc., Wichita, Kansas.
RCRA ID #KSD007482029

The Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) is making this information request as a result of an EPA Review of Basic/Occidental Chemicals SWMU Spill Information from 1991-2006 (Draft Onsite RFI Work Plan) and Emergency Planning and Community Right-to-Know Act (EPCRA) Tier II data provided to EPA.

Occidental must provide this information within 60 days receipt of this letter. If you have any questions you may reach me at (913) 551-7159 or at Garrett.David@epa.gov.

Sincerely,



David Garrett
Environmental Scientist
RCRA Corrective Action & Permits Branch
Air, RCRA, Toxics Division

Enclosure

cc: Al Meeks
Glenn Springs Holding Co. Inc.
Ruby Crysler
KDHE-BWM

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RCRA RECORDS

Locations of the following: Try to be specific, for example the Penta & BHC production area and approximate 200 feet east of Tank 424.

1. Trench at H-3 Production Unit.
2. Caustic RR car load rack.
3. Storm sewer in south area of plant.
4. ST-25 Methanol Storage Tanks at RR tracks.
5. Shipping department near RR crossing.
6. Storm sewer by wash tanks off Main Street.
7. Sodium hydroxide railcar load rack.
8. Tank car repair in load rack.
9. Organic tank farm.
10. Sulfuric acid spill area north of penta unit.
11. Sump 459.
12. Cell renewal-asbestos.
13. R&D Pilot Plant.
14. Drum fill warehouse.
15. Chlorine fill unit.
16. Other labs besides Environmental Lab-Are there any current or former labs located elsewhere onsite?
17. Boiler house.
18. Transformers.
19. Switch engine fuel storage.
20. Fire pump building.
21. Co-gen. area (as it is spelled in EPCRA Tier 11 Report submitted to EPA).

22. Tank trailer loading rack.
23. Solvent trailer load rack.
24. Headwall ditch and deep disposal facility under roadway.
25. Disposal header west of drum fill warehouse.

Please provide additional informational on the below items:

Please provide the chemical properties, physical properties, used in what chemical manufactured products, etc. for items 1-8 below.

1. Refrigerants R114, & R-134A.
2. Hyzeen.
3. AVA Triblend.
4. Butylene Oxide.
5. Cyclohexane Oxide.
6. DC-2130.
7. Morpholine.
8. Diethylethanolamine.

Additional questions:

1. Brine treatment unit-how is the brine treated?
2. Does the Basic/Occidental Chemicals facility own or possess any vacuum trucks?
If not, where are they requisitioned from?
3. What is the railcar sump near MW18, what is it used for?
4. Provide information on all storm sewers. How they are constructed, dimensions, depths, what is conveyed to them, etc.
5. Provide information on degreaser building in Research and Development area near EW28.

6. Provide information on diesel pump along RR tracks, southeast of Sump 457. Where are the associated tank/tanks for this pump, Underground Storage Tanks (UST), Above ground Storage Tanks (AST), gallon size, etc?
7. Explain what the purpose of the fuel oil tanks, northeast of Sump 469 is, information on any associated tanks (UST/AST), etc.

SWMU AND AOC
LOCATION MAP

OCCIDENTAL CHEMICAL CORPORATION
WICHITA, KANSAS

DESIGNED BY:	DETAILED BY: JRD	CHECKED BY: ESH
DRAWING DATE: 12/06/05	ACAD FILE: SWMU-AOC Map	
DRAWING: FIGURE 4-1		

LEGEND

- SUMP
- DEEP DISPOSAL WELL
- INTERCEPTOR WELLS (IW)
- TANK
- CLOSED SWMUs
- ACTIVE SWMUs
- RFI SPILLS

